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SUSPECT INSURGENT ACTIVITY
LAOS - SOUTH VIETNAM BORDER

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PRESENCE OF SUSPECT INSURGENT ACTIVITY ALONG THE LAOS - SOUTH VIETNAM
BORDER IN THE VALLEY OF THE DAK BLA (STREAM).

1. A SUSPECT INSURGENT CAMP CONTAINING APPROXIMATELY SIX PARTIALLY
CONCEALED BUILDINGS IS LOCATED WITHIN LAOS AND ADJACENT TO THE LAOS -
SOUTH VIETNAM BORDER AT 1518N 10738E. A WELL USED TRAIL, OBSERVED ON
THE LAOTIAN SIDE OF THE BORDER, SPLITS INTO TWO TRAILS IN THE VICINITY
OF THE CAMP, BOTH OF WHICH EXTEND INTO SOUTH VIETNAM.

2. THE VALLEY OF THE DAK BLA (STREAM) (1517N 10740E TO 1520N
10736E) CONTAINS NUMEROUS AGRICULTURAL AREAS. NO NATIVE VILLAGES ARE
OBSERVED IN THE VALLEY; HOWEVER, SMALL HUTS, WHICH APPEAR TO BE
ASSOCIATED WITH THE AGRICULTURAL AREAS, ARE NOTED. A REPRESENTATIVE
EXAMPLE OF THESE AREAS IS LOCATED AT 1519N 10737E, IN WHICH ROW CROPS,
A RIVER FORD, AND SIX SMALL HUTS ARE OBSERVED.

3. AN IMPROVED TRAIL IS OBSERVED ENTERING THE VALLEY OF THE DAK
BLA (STREAM) FROM THE NORTH AT 1520N 10736E. THIS TRAIL IS CAPABLE OF
SUSTAINING CART TRAFFIC. A WOODEN BRIDGE AND ROW CROPS ARE ALSO
OBSERVED IN THIS AREA.

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